

Purpose

Information on the Manchester Annex Superfund Site

Announcements

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers is conducting the second five-year review for the Manchester Annex Superfund Site, which is located on the western shore of Clam Bay, near Manchester, Wash. The Manchester site, also known as the Old Navy Dump/Manchester Laboratory Site, was historically owned by the U .S. Navy and consists of a former fire training area, a landfill, and a former submarine net and boat depot. The activities in these areas resulted in various types of contamination.

In 1999 and 2000, the Corps applied several remedies to clean up the three main areas:

Area of Concern	Contaminants	Remedy
Landfill	Demolition debris, various metals, PCBs, dioxins/furans	-Capping of landfill -Construction of a slurry cut-off wall for erosion protection
Clam Bay Sediment	Various metals, PCBs, and dioxins/furans	-Excavation of intertidal debris and placed in the upland landfill. -Placement of thin layer cap over intertidal excavation.
Fire Training Area	Dioxins/furans, petroleum, soil	-Simulator debris removed -In-place closure of under ground

For more information, please refer to the first five-year review report by clicking [here](#).

Public Comment Period for Second Five Year Review

In an effort to ensure the cleanup work continues to protect human health and the environment, the Corps is conducting the second five-year review and welcomes comments from the community. The Corps will accept comments until August 12, 2009. The Corps anticipates completing the review in September 2009 and will make the report available upon completion.

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